



WHAT TO EXPECT FOR YOUR EARWAX REMOVAL PROCEDURE

WE USE TWO TYPES OF METHODS FOR REMOVING EARWAX

1 Curette: A small tool that lights up so we can pull the earwax out

2 Irrigation: A steady stream of water into the ear to push the earwax out

After looking in your ear we will decide which method would be most effective for you. Earwax removal is a procedure so there are risks involved, please make sure to read our consent form and ask your provider any questions you may have.

THINGS YOU CAN EXPECT

Earwax removal may be uncomfortable, things that you may experience:

- Uncomfortable scraping of the ear canal
 - Feeling as though your ears are clogged with water
 - In rare cases there may be bleeding
- Please note there is a possibility that we may not be able to remove the wax from your ear

Please be honest with us about your history such as:

- Holes in the eardrum
- Recurrent ear infections
- Any ear surgery

You may ask us to stop the procedure at any time if you feel uncomfortable or are in any pain

Earwax will be removed by licensed trained professionals, so you are in good hands



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AFTER EARWAX REMOVAL

After you have had your earwax removed here are some things you may experience:

Soreness from curettage, this should not last more than a day

If pain persist in the ear, please seek medical attention immediately

Waterlogged feeling (feeling as if you have water stuck in your ear)

This may last for a few days until the water dries

General discomfort can happen, please monitor all symptoms

If symptoms persist past a week, seek medical attention immediately

If you experience ear pain that will not go away, seek medical attention immediately

Although we do everything to ensure your safety and comfort, earwax removal is still considered a procedure and comes with risks including ear infections, albeit rare.